PRICE \$21 PER MONTH HONGKONG, MONDAY, JULY 30th, 1888. 號十三月七英港香 一年得 日二十二月六年四十緒光 號三十三百五千九第 No 9533 FIRMS. NOTICES  $0\mathbf{F}$ AUCTION INTIMATIONS. BANKS. INTIMATIONS. SHIPPING. R. H. F. HAYLLAR, C.E., PUBLIC AUCTION CONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL THEATRE CORPORATION: TRAMWAYS COMPANY, ARRIVALS. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER LIMITED. July 27, Chor Sang, British str., 1,194, C. R. No. 9, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, Balbernie, Wuhu and Chinkiang 24th July, THE Public are respectfully informed that the PEAK TRAC WAY was OPENED Near ICE HOUSE STREET. Rice.-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. OFFICE, THIS DAY. for PUBLIC TRAFFIC on WEDNESDAY, the July 27, Anchises, British str., 1,304, Lapage the 30th July, 1888, at 2.30 P.M., at AND ITS FUNDS COURT OF DIRECTORS :-NOTICE. No. 45, Wyndham Street, the Residence of Shanghai, Focohow, and Amoy 25th, Gene-AND OPERA COMPANY. Hon. JOHN BELL-IRVING-Chairman: The CARS RUN as follows between ST. L. PIRON, Esq., HAVE This Day Established myself in this JOHN'S PLACE and VICTORIA GAP:-

ral.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. SIK AND A HALF MILLIONS STERLING July 28. Chingtu, British steamer, 1,259, J. D. Are therefore wholly available for Liabilities C. Arthur, Sydney 1st July, Port Darwin in connection with 18h. General.-Butterfield & Swike. LIFE ASSURANCES July 2 GLAUCUS, British steamer, 1,387, W. Lannah, Liverpool 8th June, and Sin-ANNUITIES.

gapore 22nd July, General, -BUTTERFIELD THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, Agents, Hongkong. July 28, Namoa, British steamer, 863, Pocook BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED

Foochow 24th July, Amoy 25th, and Swatow 27th, General.—DougLAS LAPRIE & The Mystery of a Hansom Cab. July 28, FOOKSANG, British steamer, 991, Hogg, Mr. Barnes of New York. Whampon 28th July, General.-JARDINE. Mr. Potter of Texas.

Hutton's Workmanager's Handbook. July 28, Alwing, German steamer, 400, Samuel-Young's Fires, Fire Engines, and Fire een, Pakhoi 25th July, and Holhow 27th, Brigades. July 28, Chintung, Chinese steamer, 835, Win-Academy Notes. Gresvenor Notes. sor. Whampos 28th July, General.—C. M.

Deacon's Book of Dates of the World's July 29, Anton, German steamer, 396, E. Aereboe. Holhow 28th July, General - WIELER Routledge's Natural History.

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3,548, Wm. Ward, Sau Francisco 30th June, and Yekohama 21st July, Mails and General.-P. M. S. S. Co.

July 29, NANKIANG, British steamer, 999, Mo-Keebnie, Singapore 23rd July, General,-ORDER.

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DEPARTURES. July 28, Khedive, British steamer, for Eu-

rope, &c. July 28, Marte, German str., for Haiphong. July 28, CHINGTU, British str., for Shanghai. July 28, OCEANIC, British str., for S. Francisco. July 28, Choy Sang, British str., for Whampoa. July 29, ANCHISES, British str., for London. July 29, DRACHENFELS, German str., for Saigon. July 28, FORTEN, British str., for Tameni, -

# PASSENGERS.

Por Choy Sang, str., from Wuhu and Chin-Per Chingtu, str., from Sydney, &c.-Mr and Mrs. McDonald, (apt. Fletcher, R.A., and Mr Per Glaucus, str., from Liverpool, &c.-497

Chinese, from Singapore. Par Anchises, str., from Shanghai, &c .- Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, Miss White, Mr. Robinson, 2 Korean Ministers and servants, and 286 Chinese. Per Namea, str., from East Coast.-Mr. Francin, and 88 Chinese.

Per Namkiang, str., from Singapore.-635 Per City of Rio de Janeiro, str., from San-Francisco.—Mr. G. D. Osmers, and 69 Chinese. Per Peking, str., from Shanghai.—Mossrs. Williams and Burr, 2 Europeans and 39 Chinese.

Per Alwine, str., from Pakhoi, &c. -35 Chinese

DEPARTED. Per Khedive, str., from Hongkong.—For Singapore.—Mesars. Chan Kam Poon and Gob

Heap Joo. For Penung.-Messrs: Cheah Choo Library. Yew and Koh Ching Sian. For London-Mrs Wight, and Mr. J. R. Brazier. From Shanghai. -For Brindisi.-Mr. and Mrs. Nutter. From Yokohama. -- For Calcutts. -- Mr. and Mrs. Wright. For London.—Miss E. Davis, From Hyogo. - For London. - Mr. G. Elliott. Per Occanio, str., for Yokohama.—Messrs. J. Robinson and R. Hawamura, 2 Chinese, 1 European, and 1 Japanese. For San Francisco.-Rev. Wm. Ashmore, Mr. Lo Ah See, and 1,062 Chanese. For Hanbury.-Mr. K. H. Rendler.

REPORTS The British steamer Glaucus, from Liverpool 8th June, and Singapore 22nd July, reports had mederate monsoon and fine weather.

The British steamer Choy Sang, from Wuhn and Chinkiang 27th July, reports experienced light winds and fine weather throughout.

The British steamer Anchiees, from Shanghai via Foochow and Amoy 25th July, reports had fine weather throughout, calms and hot. The German steamer Poking, from Shangha

26th July, reports had fine weather, S.E. and S. winds, clear; on Sunday morning had fresh S.W

The British steamer Chingtu, from Sydney lst Jely, Moreton Bay 3rd, Townsville 7th. Cocktown 8th, Thursday Island 11th, and Port Darwin 19th, reports first part of passage had moderate southerly winds and fine weather; latter part strong westerly winds and heavy rain

The British steamer Namoa, from Foochow 24th July, Amoy 25th; and Swatow 27th, reports Fushun, Taku, and Anchises. In Amoy strs. ing it proof against Mice, Insects, Dust, &c. Formosa, Fidelio, Newchwang, anda German gunbost. In Swatow str. Metapedia.

The British steamer Namkiang, from Singapore 23rd July, reports had, moderate monsoon with southerly sea all the way to the Bombay Pass; to the eastward about one mile off, saw part of the wrecked barque John Poits. At 6 p.m. passed to the eastward of Lincoln Island about one half mile off; from thence to port calms with passing showers of rain.

The American steamer City of Rio de Janeiro, from San Francisco 30th June, and Yokohama 21st July, reports:—Strong breeze to fresh gale from E.N.E. to midnight of 21st inst.; off Ossima all indications of a typhoon which we soon met. Ship was hove to on port tack, heading F.S.E.; very heavy squalls with large confused sea, ship labouring heavily; the gale continuing with great severity until 4 p.m. of the 23rd, when it moderated, heaving a heavy sea, the ship was put on her course, having been laid to for about 40 hours; thence to port fine weather. Passed O. & O. steamer Oceanic on the 28th July at 2.10 a.m., strong S.W. current from Turnsbout. Passage, 8 days 14 hours from DRESSING TABLES AND MARBLE TOP WARH- on 1st prox. Yokohama.

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SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 3rd August, at 12 O'CLOCK, NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company wil be CLOSED from 21st instant to 6rd

August, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ABNOLD.

Hongkong, 14th July, 1888. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDIN-ARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of August Next, at Twelve o'clock Noon, for the pur-Sole right to use Foley's Automatic PEDAL Directors together with a Statement of Accounts By Order of the Court of Directors.

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, 27th July, 1888. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED

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Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs,

Henricheng, 24th July, 1888.

THE CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY has been thoroughly revised and brought up to date, and is again much increased in bulk. It contains DESCRIPTIVE and STATISTICAL ACCOUNTS of, and DIRECTORIES for Kohe (Hyogo). Hongkong— Do. Ladies' Directory Osaka.

Do. Peak Directory Do. Military Forces. Yokohama. Niigata. MACAO. Hakedate CHINA-Pakhoi. VLADIVOSTOCK. THE PHILIPPINES-Hoihow. Whampoa. Manila. Cebu. Canton, Iloilo. Swatow.

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United States. German. Chinese Northern. Bripping—Officers of the Coasting Steamers of P. &. O. S. N. Co. Siemssen & Co. H. C. &. M. S. B. Co. Indo-China S. N. Co. Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. Miscellaneous Coast Douglas S. S. Co. China Mer. S. N. Co. Steamers.

NAVAL SQUADRONS-

the names of FOURTEEN THOUSAND AND FIVE HUNDRED order, the initials as well as the surnames being alphabetical.

The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly to date. They now consist of FLAGE OF MERCANTILE HOUSES IN CHINA. CODE OF SIGNALS IN USE AT VICTORIA PEAK. MAP OF THE FAR EAST. MAP OF THE ISLAND OF HONGKONG. PLAN OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA. PLAN OF MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, VICTORIA. Plan of Foreign Concessions, Shanghai. PLAN OF YOKOHAMA. PLAN OF MANILA. PLAN OF SAIGON.

PLAN OF GEORGE TOWN, PENANG. Among the other contents of the book are-An Anglo-Chinese Calendar, Mean of Barometer and Thermometer, Rainfall. &c. A full Chronology of remarkable events since the advent of foreigners to China and Japan. A description of Chinese Festivals, Fasts, &co., with the days on which they fall. Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c.

Plan of Town and Environs of Singapore.

Scale of Hongkong Stamp Duties. The Hongkong Postal Guide for 1888 Beales of Commissions and Charges adopted by the Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong. Shanghai, Amoy and Newshwang. Hongkong Chair, Jinricksha, and Bost Hire.

The APPENDIX consists of of closely printed matter, to which reference is having commercial or political relations with the Countries embraced within the scope of the

CHRONICLE and DIRECTORY. The Contents of the Appendix are too numerous to recapitulate in an Advertisement, but nolude---TREATIES WITH CHINA-

Great Britain, Nanking, 1842 Tientsin, 1858 Chefoo, with Addition Article Opium Convention, 1886. and all others not abrogated. France, Tientsin, 1858 Convention, 1860

Treaty of Commerce, 1886. Convention, 1887. United States, Tientsin, 1858 Additional, 1869 Feking, 1880 German, Tientsin, 1861 Peking, 1880 Russia, Japan, Spain, Brazil, and Peru. TREATIES WITH JAPAN -Netherlands Great Britain United States

TREATIES WITH COREA TREATIES WITH SIAM TREATIES WITH ANAM TREATIES WITH CNAMBODIA CUSTOMS TARIFFS Chinese Јарарезе

Orders in Council for Government of H.B.M. Subjects in China and Japan, 1865, 1877, -1-75, 1831, 1834, 1884, 1886, 1886. Take of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts mayal Jaran

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Port Regulations MACAO......Mr. F. A. da Cruz. Swatow ....... Messra. Quelch & Co. AMOY ...... Messrs. C. Gerard & Co. ...Messra. C. Gerard & Co. FORMOSA ..... ...Messrs. Hedge & Co. FOOCHUW.. Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, S'ghai. SHANGHAI ..... Hall & Holt: Co-operative Co. SHANGHAI..... Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. NORTHERN& ) Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co. RIVER Ports ) and Kelly & Walsh, Shanghai. NAGARAKI ..... Messrs. The C. & J. Trading Co. | due to woman. Lastly, there are the medical

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Sydner ....... Mesers. Gordon & Gotch. MELBOURNE ... Messrs. Norton, Hargrave & Co. Brisbane ..... Messrs, Gordon & Gotoh. LONDON:......Mr. F. Algar, Clement's Lane. LONDON........ Messrs. Street & Co., 30 Cornhill. LONDON....... Messrs. Bates, Hendy & Co. ......Mr L.H.Rioby,66, Rue Lafayette. BEBLIN ...... G. Hildebrandt, 111, Alexandrinen

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countermanded. Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should offered him. He was in delicate health at After hat hopr the supply is limited

TELEPHONE No. 12.



Hondrone, July Sore, 1888; Ar the dinner recently given at the Mansion | themselves. This gentleman died shortly House to the Bishops of the Church of Eug. afterwards in a decline, but it was impos- find that it interferes with or injures the workland, the Bishop of Calcutta is reported by sible for those who knew him to doubt the telegram to have said that England was spirit which animated him. Who moreover conscious of her responsibility towards India, that is at all familiar with the spirit which The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains and had every reason to be proud of her breathed in Keshus Sen and the men who work there. If we attempt to fill in the went before him with those who are followsubstance of His Lordship's speech from this ing in his footsteps, can doubt the influence arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest bald outline we may assume that he made of Obristian teaching in awakening those reference not only to the material advantages aspirations which are the very breath of the which have accrued to the people of India Christian life." re-engraved in a superior style and brought up from British rule—the preservation of peace. the opening up of communications, the extension of commerce, and the improvement in the general condition of the population -but that he would also make special reference to the religious work carried on by mail of the 30th June, left Saigon for this port the missionaries of the Church of England at 5 p.m. yesterday. and those of other denominations and societies amongst Her Majesty's Indian subjects. It is interesting to read a native opinion of what India owes to the missionary. The Indian Nation, a vernacular paper published in Calcutta, in an article on a speech made by Sir CHARLES AITCHISON at a recent meeting of the Church Missionary Society at Simila, says: from Hamburg, left Singapore on Friday for of one or two buyers to fill orders should lead -- We believe that the moral influence of the this port. missionary in India has been vastly greater to indicate. Education, for instance, owes a great deal to missionary work; and who can calculate by arithmetical processes, the moral results of education? In the next place, the the 11th inst., has arrived at Yokohama and left missionaries have given an importus to for this port yesterday. thought, by placing before the people new! constantly required by residents and those ideals of life. Lastly, as Sir Charles Adamson, Bell & Co.) that the C. P. steamer says .- About a fortnight ago one of the Afficerson pointed out, the missionaries have been the first to awaken an interest in the welfare of the women of India. But what we mean is, that the native Obristians, to be heard, will be of considerable importance, though a large and rapidly developing body. as it is likely to raise some interesting points of are, from a moral and social point of view. a most insignificant element of the people of India. Here and there we see a few Indian Christians who are remarkable for intellect. and character, and who would be ornamente of any society; but speaking of the Indian Obristians as a body, we feel bound to ohserve that whatever their importance in a table of figures, they are scarcely a ripple on the sea of Indian lifer. They are a body without traditions, without aspirations, without stamina; disorganised, despondent, and conscious of their anomalous and useless condition." This description of the fruits of missionary work is as true of China as of India, and has often been advanced in other words in these columns, The Christian Church in China is little more than an illusion, but the work of the missionary is nevertheless attended by substantial and value able results. The missionary is the medium by which thousands of Chinese are every day | the civil population. Of the five deaths in the

civilization, and though the contact be in

most cases but momentary, the missionary's

preaching and presence in the country exert

a potent influence. But besides the crowds

who only hear his voice in the street or

into personal communication with him, who

consult him not only on religious ques-

social, or political interest to which their at-

news in the native papers or by other means

Then there are the numerous schools main-

tained by missionary societies, which are

every day turning outpupils who have received

an education on Western principles, and who,

pack of schoolboys in any other country,

must necessarily exercise a wide influence

when they goout into the world in breaking

down superstition, communicating know-

ledge, and, let us hope, setting up by example

teaching. On the question of the moral

late Sir CHARLES WOOD (Lord HALIFAX)

standard by which to judge of the general fruits of their labour. We said that we thought no unbiassed and observant man out becoming conscious from his own observawas exerting upon the country in raising a under seal. higher standard of morality-insensibly for the most part-amongst all classes therein, who were becoming acquainted with what the claims of Christianity were upon the inner life, as well the outward conduct of men. And we instanced in illustration of the fact, that a native gentleman whom we knew well and respected greatly, had come to us to ask privately whether with the views which he had come to entertain of the opium trade as immoral, it would be right for him offered him in a great opium firm in China. he doubted much whether he could inno- in Siam; cently accept the appointment that was some other port. We have forgotten what deep impression upon our own mind, as evidencing what the teaching of Christianity

The first examination of the students of the Hongkong Medical College will take place next

The M. M. steamer Oxus, with the French It is notified in the Gazette that Monday, 6th August, being a bank holiday, is to be observed

as a holiday in the Government departments. The Agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) inform us that the Union Line steamer Dorset, from London, left Singapore on Saturday for this port, The Agents (Messrs. Russell & Co.) inform us

The Agents (Messrs. Adamson, Bell & Co.) than the number of conversions would seem inform as that the C. P. steamer Balavia Foreigners have never had a better opportunity left Kebe on the 24th insteat for this port, and of bringing home to the Chinese dealers the fact

We are informed by the Agent that the O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with the American mails to

We are informed by the Agents (Messrs, Zambest arrived in Yokolama on the 28th inst., and will leave there for this port to morrow.

The case of the Hongkong Hotel Company versus the Hon. C. P. Chater, which is shortly

performer Dave Carson is expected shortly at Singapore. No doubt he will extend his tour to this colony, where many old friends will be glad

According to the Straits Times, the famous

The Foochow Echo mentions a ramour that the Chinese teamen at that port are about to credits the rumour.

Ordinances have received Her Majesty's con- intruding thread. Yen Liu upon this was so illfirmation and allowance, viz., the Rating Ordin- advised as to give veut to a sarcastic sugger, of ance, 1888, and the European District Reserva. tion Ordinance, 1888.

We hear that it is highly probable the Chief Justice, Sir George Phillippo, unless his health greatly improves, will not return to Hongkong. The loss will be great to the colony and to the profession, as his decisions gave universal satis-

There were 141 deaths in the colony during Europeans-five in the army and one amongst being brought into contact with Western army four were from fever and one from dysen-

loon Customs and stations, and all examination of cargo and clearing of junks will be entirely preaching hall, there are the few who enter suspended on that day. The Foochow Echo says :- We indeed feel

very happy to have occasion to congratulate our tions but on various matters of scientific. tes merchants on the very fortunate result of their shipment per steamer Glenogle, judging from the reports flying round the settlement tention has been directed by the foreign and mesincerely hope that the same happy result will fall to all their shipments during the season, The steamer Nanshan, which went into

quarantine on the 19th instant upon her arrival

of two of her passengers from cholers, was released on the 21st. We (Free Press) hear that four Orders may be sent to Daily Press Office, where though they have no more religion than a more deaths from the same disease occurred at St. John's quarantine station. The Foochow Echo says :- We hear that a few tea hongs have, in consequence of there being no buyers of tea during the last few days wired to stop buying in the country | as the teamen, who had made good margin in their

chases in the tes districts. It remains to be therecognition of that respect which they have seen how the matter will end at the close of the been taught by their foreign instructors is Where is Stanley ? A telegram of the 22nd missions, which, more than any other agency, June stated that he had been wounded and was are breaking down the old antipathy to surrounded by hostile natives and that a relief foreigners and winning acceptance for foreign expedition was being fitted out. A telegram dated only one day later, published in the Aus- how to appreciate and how to show their aptralian papers, states that a report had reached effect of missionary work we have much Suakim to the effect that a white man had arrived at the Bahr-el-Ghazel, a tributary of the pleasure in making thefollowing extract from White Nile, after having conquered the hostile the Statesman, which occurs in an article on tribes inhabiting the country through which he have maintained from the outset, that the Comthe passage from the Indian Nation quoted had traversed. It was believed that the white pany were not doing themselves justice in proman in question was Mr. H. M. Stanley, who, when last heard of in April last, was encamped in above :- "We have for many years ourselves held the same convictions that the writer so the Upper Armvimi country, where he was greatforcibly expresses as to what India owes the ly harassed by the hustile natives. The report had piece, something that requires a display of real upon some charred bones. They were human the Board to prepare: By-Liaws under Subnot been confirmed, but the Arabs who brought talent, and they have shown us more than once missionary, and bis remarks re-called to our the intelligence to Suskim persisted that there memory a conversation which we had upon was good foundation for their statement. It LONDON ...... Mr. W.M. Wills, 151, Cannon St. the same subject, many years ago, with the would seem that confirmatory evidence must have been received later as a Reuter's telegram witnessing hero. The "Bohemian Girl" was, if should judge that the man had been sleeping. fore it in writing the evidence on which the Se- decay. The discovery was made by a mission rev published in the Singapore papers and dated who was Secretary of State for India at the 20th July, reads as follows:-An "English and that is saying a good deal. The power of Pasha," who is reported to be organizing a large time. He asked us very gravely and pointforce on the Bahr-el-Ghazel for the re-conquest edly, and with a good deal of incredulity as of the Soudan from the Mahdi, is stated to be we thought in his tone, whether the mission- none other than H. M. Stanley.

ary had really done any gooden India attall and our reply was precisely that which the side for a few hours, probably to repair some Nation now makes. We said that if we were slight defect in her machinery. She showed no signal for assistance, and proceeded about six to appraise the results' of missionary enter-

prise by simply enumerating the converts The P. M. steamer Orty of Rio de Janeiro, they had inade, we should reply without which was due on Saturday morning, arrived yeshesitancy that they had laboured in vain terday afternoon. As will be seen from her reand spent their strength for nought, but that port, she was laid to for forty hours in consequence of a typhoon experienced after leaving we believed it to be a gravely mistaken

The Foochow Echo of the 2 st July says: We are informed on good authority that the Russian Consul yesterday, in company with the could live for some years in India with- Lekin Taotai and the Haifang ting, went to the Sun-Cheong tes hong, where several bags of lie tea were seized, and it is reported that the tion of the influence which the missionary Chinese Authorities intend to place the hong

> Building land in this colony suitable for European dwellings is now becoming so scarce that there is hardly an available piece to be obtained. The increase of the population and the still further increase of officers of the new Regiment which is promised to the colony will make healthy residences difficult to obtain. Officers in the army cannot well live at the Peak on account of their duties demanding their constant presence with the Regiments.

The Blue-fannel steamer Glaucus, Captain Hunt, on her voyage out from Liverpool, was delayed about a week owing to a breakage of some minor portion of the piston, which to accept un appointment that had been necessitated the steamer putting into Perita for the purpose of rollting at the foundry and most perfect success, and served to regain for the workshop established on that island. Her pas-He had no thought of becoming a convert, sengers to Singapore included a portion of the but felt so keenly the claims which Chris- engineering staff charged with the duty of tian morals asserted over his own mind, that carrying out the preliminary surveys for Sir Andrew Clarke's scheme of a railway system

In our Australian news it is stated that an edict has been issued by the Chinese Governthe morality of the business in the conduct ther stated that the Chinese merchants in Sydof which he was to assist at Shanghai, or ney discredit the edict. The issue of any such edict at the present moment is on the face of it improbable, and inquiries which we have made advice we gave him, but the incident made a locally from well informed Chinese lead us to believe that it is a canard.

> Tsung-Il Yamen with the proviso that Chiua may at any time withdraw from it should she ng of her own telegraphie system. Now that which characterised the negotiation at Chefco last year have been to some extent repaired, it is to be hoped that China will lose no time in entering the International Telegraphic Conven-

> The Taku correspondent of the Skanshai Moroury writes:-For the China Railway Comfrom the Clyde, with a cargo of locomotives. She is a very pretty, clean little ship, constructed of steel. The Strathspey has, it is stated about 10,000 piculs carrying capacity. Her tri to North-China should be a success, financially seeing that for 100 Mexicans she is being towed by the "Taku Tug and Lighter Company" from sea to Tongku (where she will discharge her railway material), thence to Tientsia with the remainder of her cargo, consisting of scrop iron : and from Tiontsin she will be towed again to

The N. C. Daily News of the 25th July says -Nothing was done in tea yesterday, the Chinese still withholding mustors. Among foreign onvers generally the attitude of the Chinese viewed with indifference, as they are certain that within a day or two the dealers must do business that the Union Line steamer Guy Manniring. the Chinese to suppose that the bulk of the trade is likely to give way, which from all we have learned is not the least likely to be the case that the tea trade, like every other trade, cannot be conducted unless both parties to it act in a reasonable manner. A few days' firmness will do all that is required here, and for the sake of the trade we hope it will be shewn.

ennuces in attendance on the Empress, named Kao, was banished to Monkden in consequence. it is said, of a disagreement with H. I. M.'s faanother ennuch called Yen Liu fell into disgrace and again the fuvourite was the cause of the trouble, which is said to have arisen in this way: Mr. Pi, for some reason which my informant can only guess at, washed his face, and in his nervousness and inexperience left a thread from the towel with which he carefully removed all traces of the unwonted act sticking to his forehead Having a face of brass he naturally did not that Her Majesty was about " to receive. form a company for the direct export of tea to noticing the thread on the forehead of the fa-London and Australia. Our contemporary dis. | vourite, and being solicitous lest this proof of his ridiculous ablutions should give occasion to It is notified in the Gazette that the following her own sacred nails delicately plucked away the most equivocal import, which so enraged the Empress that be has been banished to Hei Lung-chiang. The banishment is a fact; this explanation of the cause of it rests on the un-

certain ground of popular rumour. In the minutes of the Shanghai Municipal Council a correspondence with reference to precautions against cholera is published. The Council wrote on the 6th July to the Consul-General to inquire if the Authorities were taking any steps to have ressels inspected upon their arrival. The Consul General referred matter to the Taotai, who referred it to the Commissioner of Customs, who, while expressing his readiness to carry out any such sanitary It will be seen from an advertisement in rules as may be agreed upon by the Tactai and another column that Friday, the 3rd August, the Consular Body, pointed out that the chances being the birthday of il. M. the Emperor of of infection would be much lesseped if shipmas-China, will be observed as a holiday at the Kow- ters would strictly observe rule No. 16 of the Harbour Regulations, which reads as follows:-"A vessel arriving with a contagious disease on board shall not come nearer the lower limit of the harbour than two miles, shall fly at the fore a wellow flag, and shall not allow anyone to disembark or come on board without permission from the Harbour Master's Office." On the 13th July the Chairman of the Council wrote in reply to the Consul-General as follows:-"The Council are not in possession of any information regarding the progress of epidemic disease in the south beyond what has appeared in the Publie Papers, but they understand that the disat Singapore from Swatow, owing to the death to be epidemic at Swatow, Amoy, and Hongkong about a month since have now abated very considerably and I have no doubt that the enforceamongst the passengers landed by this steamer ment here, so far as practicable, of the existing Harbour Regulations will be found a sufficient precantion at present."

> "THE BOHEMIAN GIRL" AT THE THEATRE ROYAL.

a higher standard of morality and inducing first crop, have gone mad and made large pur-On Saturday evening last Mr. Willard' Company scored another decided success in the production of Balfe's well known "Bohemian Girl." way that is rarely seen, and although Hongkong audiences are not as rule very enthusiastic, they D. Meyer, and A. Botelho. proved on Saturday evening that they know plause and encores were frequent. The success of the piece was only a confirmation of what we ducing several of the pieces they have placed on that they can hold their own and give such a representation as we rarely get an opportunity of possible, we think an improvement on "Maritana," the company in concerted pieces, the evenness The chorus "In the Gipsy's Life," in "Down not a common ladder. The staircase was at a it has before it some definite information on the self addressed stamped ouvelope."

The P. & O. steamer Khedive; which left with with the daring slave," in the chorus when Ar- distance of about 31 yards from the door. The main drainage of the Colony, and as to any prothe homeward mail on Saturday, anchored out. line is about to be arrested for robbery, the company were especially successful, while the Prayer in the first act after the abduction of Arline was one of the finest things in the whole piece, although for some reason or other it-hardly received the recognition it merited. The acting. too, all round, on Saturday evening, was a great the 23rd July, I heard an alarm of fire, and buildings as defined by the Ordinance. It has improvement on what one generally gots or shortly afterwards Kok Akai, wife of Chow no power whatever to deal with old buildings and has almost come to expect in Opera. The company, as a whole and each individual member, displayed an energy and determination in their acting which, considering the reading of the thermometer, was not more meritorious than surprising. The piece was tastefully staged, and the dresses were pretty and appropriate. The large house which witnessed the performance on Saturday, in spite of the oppressive heat, was a proof that there was an idea that an exceptional treat was in store, and they were not disappointed. The piece went evenly and without a hitch from beginning to end. Before the curtain had rison five minutes there was a good understanding established between the audience and the actors, which was maintained to the end, and the applause, as we have already mentioned, was both frequent and hearty, while when the curtain fell on the last act the enthusiasm displayed by the audience would have been noticeable anywhere, but in Hongkong was almost astonishing. But it was

no more than the production merited. 'It was a

company that good-will and appreciation which one or two of their later performances went far to dissipate. well suited with a part and one in which there the time, and the appointment was desirable ment with reference to the Chinese question with marvellous tone and expression, and, where body with the existing Brigade. in every respect, but this one. He doubted in Australia, ordering the Chinese to wind up necessary, with force and passion. His singing is organized by rules and regulations, made by their business and return to China. It is fur- in the scone, where he prevents Arline stabbing of 1868. The duties of the various members of We (N. C. Daily News) understand that the particular one is the best, we venture to think fire since the Brigade was formed. I have been was doing in India, insensibly to the people Telegraph Convention has been signed by the that Mr. Imano's singing of "The heart bowed officially connected with it for over five years. ithe negligence of Chinese and foreign interests Mr. Charles Fisher made an interesting Thad. known any lives saved by the Fire Brigade. Arline, particularly the one where he tells her how he saved her life when she was a child were excellently rendered, while in the trio pany, a barque named the Strathepsy has arrived "Through the world wilt thou fly" was another storeys were the exception. Now they are the fine specimen of artistic work, in which he received material support from Miss Hare and Mr. Sutch. He had also a special opportunity for displaying what he can do in the well known. Whon other lips and other hearts," the singing of which was rewarded, as it invariably is when well executed, with an encore. Mr. Whiffen Cripps gave a very good impersonation of the foppish be entirely exempt from the business sea with a full export cargo which she is taking hand "was particularly well rendered. The part of Devilshoof is not a light one to play, but Mr. Sutch, to whom it was entrusted, worked hard, and though at times he appeared a little overweighted, he gave a very good account of the part on the whole. His voice was at times a little rough, but this wore off as the piece went It will be daeply to be regretted if the anxiety on, and in the trio before mentioned and in the choruses he was invaluable. His best scene, however, was that with the Gueen of the Gupsies, where she demands the return of the medallion stolen from Florestein. Both Mr. Sutch and Miss Morrison displayed great powers, both vocal and histricaic, in this scene, which was well worked up, and at its conclusion were greeted with a regular storm of applause. Mr. Sutch also deserves a word of praise for his acting in his lighter, scepes. A Peking contributor to the Chinese Times part of Arline is one of these sympathetic characters so well suited to Miss Maud Hare, and it goes without saying that her interpretation of it was in every way satisfactory. Miss Hare vourite sunuch. Pi Hsiso-li. A few days ago was in exceptionally good voice on Saturday night, and the number of encores she received would have been sufficient to have somewhat ruffled an actress less willing to please than Miss Hare. To her even they must have been somewhat trying, although it was never noticeable, Miss Hare going through her part and rendering her soles apparently without affort. Her singing feel that anything was there, and entered in of "I dreumt that I dwelt in Marble Halls" was

unto his mistress to serve her. Now it happoned of course one, and deservedly so, of her encored pieces. Her singing in the concerted piece where the Queen objects to her marriage with Thaddeus was another very fine performance, and her sole scoffers; she called him across to her and with "Come with the gipsy bride" was equally so Her scenes with the Count when she discovered he is her father, and again in the third act where he discovers her with Thaddeus were also excellently rendered. Her singing of "See at your feet a suppliant" in the last mentioned scene was as good as anything in the piece. As Queen of the Gupsies, Miss Flo Morrison confirmed the opinion which we expressed of her abilities on the occasion of her first appearance. Since that performence she has not had a fair opportunity of showing what she could do, but in the rôle she assumed on Saturday night she had a chance of exercising that fluency and grace of style which she undoubtedly possesses. She had an important part to sustain and she was indefatigable. Her voice was strong and at the same time sympathetic, while her songs were always given with appro- \$50. priate gesture, which added to their charm. Her scene with Devilshoof, which has already been mentioned, was really a brilliant performance, and her scene with Thaddeus and Arline in the second act and again in the third act were depicted with power and ability. The smaller Ordinance. characters were creditably filled by Miss Eva Leamington and Messrs, Hassan, Manning, Morgan, and Hudson. A word of praise must also be given to Misses Vera Patey and eases of a choleraic nature which were reported first act. Altogether the piece was the most successful the company has yet produced, and

> THE LATE FATAL FIRE IN SECOND STREET.

> it successfully supported their claims to be

considered first-class artists. To-morrow, Tues-

day evening, the company' will produce

comic opera." Erminie."

The adjourned enquiry into the cause of death of two coolies and a woman at the late fire in Second Street was resumed on Saturday morning The Theatre Royal was prowded in every part in a at the Magistracy, before Hon. H. E. Wodehouse, The jury consisted of Mesers. A. G. Gordon.

Chung Hai-chung, re-called said-The cockloft in the ground floor communicated with the ground preciation of a good piece well played, and ap. floor by a stair; the only way of leaving the cookloft was by the stair. There was no window to the cockloft. Inspector Swanston, re-called said -- On the evening of the 23rd inst. at 7 o'clock, a report was made

> bones and belonged to one body. The head sections 1, 2, and 3 of Section 13 of the Health sit for his portrait. was lying outwards, towards the door. We Ordinance. also found a second body and some clothes.

Chung Bai-cheung re-called-The staircase 2.-We object to the Board proceeding to Bloomsbury Square, London, W.C., will send and balance of voices was again very noticeable. was a moveable pole ladder. It had usiled steps, legislate on the subject of house-drainage until the prescription, free of charge, on receipt of a

names of the two missing coolies were Ung Kwok | posed new drainage scheme. was too warm. I saw them sleeping there. Chow Asam stated—I am wife of Young Lung ly provided for. Chi, living in Gough-street. On the morning of

She was 34 years of age. were burning very fieroely. It was impossible | ments and vested interests. o get inside the house. I did not see anybody died from her wounds.

Thomas Motfat, P.S. 80, re-called, said—The evils it desires to remedy. fire was burning very fiercely when I got to it. Both floors were burning when I saw it. I did not know at the time that there were two people our By-Laws, as they must be confirmed by the in the cocklest. If I had known that there had Legislative Council and the Council will correct been, I could not have belowd them. G. Horspool said-I am Acting Superintend-

As Count Arnheim, Mr. Imano was thoroughly was to blame in any way for the loss of life. out disgrace. There is no special organization for the saving of life in connection with the Brigade. I do were constant opportunities for him to display not think that there has ever been any. I do his vocal powers. He sang throughout the piece not think it would be possible to form such a herself, of "Mine own, my long lost child," in the Brigade are haid down for them. There is the quintette "To shame and feeling dead" was no reference in the Rules with regard to the a real musical treat, while although it is difficult saving of life. The original rules were framed immediately after the passing of the Ordinance. among such a quantity of good things as we had They were republished in 1882. They are still presented to us on Saturday night to say which in force. I have been present at nearly every down" bore away the palm, and to judge from occurrence. I think this is due to the means the enthusiastic manner in which it was re- of escape the Chinese themselves have, and demanded, that appeared to be the general opinion, not to the work of the Brigade. I have never deus, his acting and singing being both more do not think that the Brigade could be of any use in that way. There might be a special than satisfactory. His duet with Devilshoof in salvage corps. I cannot say whether that could the first act, and his numerous duets with be of much benefit. There is very much more danger now of lives being lost by fires than there was in former days. This is in consequence of the construction of the houses and the overcrowding therein. Formerly, houses of more than two general rule. The only means of egress from the first, second, and third stories is by a single flimsily built wooden stair; so that, in the even of fire the staircase nearly always catches first This entirely precludes all chance of escape except from the roof. The remedy for this lies in the reconstruction of the houses, and also possibly in the formation of a salvage corps. think if a salvage corps were formed it should Florestein, and his song "Is no succour near at extinguishing fires. In the late fire is Second-street a salvage corps would have been of no nee whatever, unless the slarm had been given earlier. This would make a great deal of difference. The main thing would be to have more than one way of egress. Formerly, a fire escape was attached to the Fire Brigade. It was never used, although it was always taken to fires. It fecture, brings nows of a terrible volcanic eropwas eventually dismantled. I think in 1885. Ladders are now used in place of the escape. I

> have no suggestions to make. A verdict of accidental death was returned by

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

MONTHLY CHALLENGE CUP. The second competition for the monthly handicap challenge oup and a money prize of five dollars took place at the Military Ranges: Kowloon, on Saturday afternoon, and was won for the first time by Police Constable W. Ro- about, in dread of flooding, were hastening to harten with a total score of 67 boints. The remove their property.

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| Mr. F. G. Collins       | . 29        | . 26          | 7              | 61   |
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| Mr. John Andrew         | . 89 .,     | . 20 .,.      | 8              | 60-  |
| Mr. W. C. Murray        | . 26        | . 20          | . 14           | 604  |
| Mr. R. G. Honkins       | 21          | . 12          | 27             | 60   |
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| Lieut, A. H. Lee, B A., | . 25        | . 24          | 7              | 57   |
| Mr. E. Shopherd         | . 23        | . 9           | 25             | 57   |
| bir. J. H. Grimes       | . 27        | . 18          | 8              | 58   |
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| Mr Parlitt              | . 24 .      | 8             | 17             | 40   |
| Mr. W. D. Braidwood     | . 24        | . 14          | . 10           | 48   |
| Mr. H. Twyford          | . 18 .:     | . 12          | . 15           | 45   |
| Mr. C. D. Wilkinson :   | . 19        | . 18          | 7              | · 44 |
| Mr. J. Dade             | . 24        | 6             | . 10           | 40   |
| Mr. J. Dade             | . 21        | . 0           | 15             | 38   |
| Mr. G. T. Rivers        | . 9 .:      | . 4           | . 18           | 81   |

POLICE COURT.

28th July. BEFORE MR. T. SERCOMBE-SMITH.

BREACH OF CONTRACT. Hu Chan a nightsoil contractor, was charge on the information of J. R. Germain, Chief Inspector of Nuisances, with committing a breach of his Government contract by omitting to carry away the sullage water from the Peak Hotel, on the 27th instant. Defendant admitted the charge, and was fin-

BREACH OF BUILDING ORDINANCE. Yi Shing and Kwong Tse Loong, storekeepers were charged, on the information of Mr. F. A. Cooper, Inspector of Buildings, with having the and ashes. The dead bodies found during two balconies of their houses partially enclosed, there- days, the 15th and 16th, are stated to be 45. by committing a breach of the Verandalis The small villages called Kishizawa, Akimoto,

in No. 105, Queen's Road West, and second de which they stood is thrown up into a mountain. fendant at No. 87, Praya Central. I warned first The number of persons buried in these villages defendant on the 20th instant, and second defend- is entirely unknown, but it is believed that no ant on the 16th. I told them that they were one there escaped alive. Grace Whiteford for their graceful dances in the infringing the Ordinance, but they took no notice.

Offert and Alterether the view were the most Defendants admitted the charge, and were fined \$25 each.

> ENDANGERING PUBLIC SAFETY. Tsang Ng and Tsang Kee, respectively forenan of, and contractor for, blasting operations at Magazine Gap, were charged, on remand, with I waseblasting stone in such a manner as to endanger public safety, on the 10th inst. Mr. Denuys appeared for the defence. Ching Luk, one of the mon who fired the blast,

and Police Sergeant Fowler gave evidence to the effect that there was no sign of boarding round the rock, after the explosion. His Worship then discharged the second defendant, but committed the first for trial, allowing bail in two sureties of \$500 each. The bail their names cannot be ascertained. It is also was immediately forthcoming.

THE SANITARY BOARD AND THE DRAINAGE BY-LAWS.

The following appears in the minutes of the Sanitary Board's meeting of the 19th July :-Protest of Dr. Ho Kai and of Mr. J. J. me that two coolies were missing after the fire. Francis, Q.C., Members of the Sanitary Board I went to the house with P.C. Moffat and we against the decision of the Board to proceed with started to clear away the debris. Moffat took a the consideration of the By-Laws prepared and the stage since their arrival. Give them a good spade, and about 3 feet from the door he came submitted by a select Committee appointed by

the Honourable the Surveyor-General.

and La Yin. They were jinrichsha coolies. The | 3. - We object to the Board proceeding with first was 30 years old and the other 41 years old, the consideration of the present draft By-laws, They slept within 3 ft. of the door on the night | because they fail to distinguish between old of the fire, and not in the cockloft; the weather | building and new and muddle together several matters that ought to be separately and distinct-

The Board has full power to deal with new Kun Sing, came to my house. Her clothes were | the drains of such buildings until, in the words all burnt, and she had large blisters on her body. of Section 50 of the Ordinance, they are found She told me that she had been burnt at a fire | "defective and insanitary." To pass the first that morning in her house. She went and lay By-Law would be to enable the Officers of the down in bed, and died at about 1 o'clock in the Board to interfere with the drains in existing afternoon. Shemadenostatement before she died. buildings whether in an insanitary state or not, I did not offer to remove her to the Hospital. I and compel, within a very short time, the entire called in a doctor. He gave her some medicine. reconstruction of the existing drainage according to the new scheme, whether it needed recon-P.C. 263, re-called, said-When I first saw the struction or not, the Health Ordinance having fire, flames were coming out from the ground floor. been specially framed to minimise, as much as I went up to the front of the house. The flames possible, interference with existing arrange-

4,-We object and protest in the strongest leave the house. I went back to the station, and, possible terms against the hasty and inconsideron my way back, saw a woman crouching down ate way in which the Board is proceeding, under in the road on Third Street. She was burnt. pressure from the Surveyor-General, to frame It was at some distance from the fire. When I important By-Laws affecting large interests, first saw the fire, I asked the people in the next without making itself acquainted with its powers house if anybody was inside. They said they under the Health Ordinance and the limitations did not know. It was the woman who has since of those powers and without having before it as a Board any evidence, any information as to the

5.-We protest against the theory that it is a matter of indifference how we frame our defective work. The duty has been imposed upon as by law of working out these By-Laws ent of the Hongkong Fire Brigade. I was pre- conscientiously and thoroughly with a due regard sent at the fire in Second Street, in that capa- to our powers and responsibilities, and we cannot city. Nobody connected with the Fire Brigade shift the burden from our own shoulders with-

> Ho, KAY. JNO. J. FRANCIS.

RIOT AT KIUKIANG.

correspondent at Kinking writes to the C. Daily News under date the 21st instant: -Kinking was mobbed to-day by some Honan people who are going north with boats leaded. with rice-300 boats and about 2,500 men. Of course they smuggle lots of goods in the rice. and the Taotai here refused to let them pass unless they paid the regular likin, while they object to pay more than one-third of the regular likin. They came on shore this morning and made a row, pulled down the railings of the Commissioner of Customs' house, broke the windows of Mr. Campbell's ten-room, pulled down trees on the Bund, etc., etc. The Yuenion has been detained in part for a day. The Taotai, who is very anti-foreign, declares that he is unable to ontrol the mon, and he has not even sent soldiers for our protection, although, as is well known, there is always a considerable garrison in Kinking under a brigadier-general. The riot is nothing serious but the ladies and the Protestant missionaries have been considerably slarmed. It is very hot here, 103 degree in the shade and 143 degree in the sun. We hope to have a blow soon, or it will become intolerable. Under date the 22nd instant the correspondent adds:-"Since writing last night nothing has happened. The ladies went to sleep on board the Ymenico, and we men spent the night natrolling the concession. It is said that the rice-boats are to be dispatched to-day, by the Taotai. This, of course, remains to be seen.

THE VOLCANIC ERUPTIONIN JAPAN.

400 Persons Buried. The Japan Mail of the 18th July says:—A tion. On the 15th instant the mountain known as Bandaisan, near Wakamatsu, bu st forth into flame. The outbreak began at eight o'clock in the morning, and at the time of telegraphing had not stopped. In the adjoining hamlet of Iwasemura fifty-six houses were destroyed. The material thrown out covered the ground to a distance of two ri all round the mountain. damage being done as far off as four ri. It is stated that 400 persons were buried by the débris 150 of whom were visitors using the hot springs in the neighbourhood. According to another account 36 houses were destroyed. Only two human bodies were recovered. An aqueduct at Hibara was filled up, and the people round

--- The Gazette of the 20th publishes the lollows ing report on the eruption of Mount Bandai by L. an official despatched by the Kencho of Fukushima to the village of Inawasbiro: -I mmediately after we arrived here we went to the office of . the village officer and of the county magistrate and made enquiries as to the real circumstances attending the eruption of Bandai-zan. The probable estimate of the number of persons killed and wounded will be seen from the occompany. ing table. For further particulars we are still making investigations. Among other numerous misfortunes, one, which calls for urgent attention, is the inundation of the river Nagase. The river, which runs into the eastern side of lake Inawashiro through Konskamatsu-mura and Kanada mara, is the source of the water in the lake and was of the utmost value to the country through which it runs. 'The sand and ashes thrown up from Bandai-zan, however, blooked up this river at a place near Iwase-mura, about four miles distant from Inawashiro-mura. and consequently a large swamp has been formed in the neighbourhood by the overflown water. It is feared that if the sand and ashes now blocking the stream he moved, the villages in the lower levels would be submerged by the overflowing waters of the river, while if the water be left in the presentatate, the damage would further extend in the neighbourhood of Enokhara-mura. In this and other neighbouring villages the inhabitants, young and old are running hither and thither with farming tools and other portable properties, seeking for safety as if on the field of battle. Those who escaped here wounded are now attended in the school, and their number is about twenty. The state of these wounded persons is most lumoutable, some having wounds on their heads and others broken limbs. The number of those uninjured who are now staying here without shelter, is stated to be four thousand. We are fortunately enabled to provide these sufferers with clothes and food, and other necessaries. The return given below does not contain all the number of the houses

and Hosono, in Hinokihara-mura, were covered F. A. Cooper stated-First defendant resides all over with sand and ashes, and the site on UNDER INAWASHIRO VILLAGE OFFICE. PERSONS HOUSES NO. OF

damaged and the persons buried under the sand

VILLAGES. RESIDENCES. RILLED DAMAGED. Shibuya ...17

Shimizu ... Nagasaka 25 Namakura 12 mara Kawakami Shirokijiro 21 Horiki ..... 37 Naka ....

In the above table Kawakami is a hot spring place, and it is stated that there were some fifty or sixty visitors there, all of whom perished. The visitors were from different quarters, so stated that some men and horses were on the mountain engaged in cutting and carrying grass for the horses. The following are the villages which were dostroyed by the upheaval of their

UNDER OSHIO AND OTHER VILLAGE OFFICES

· RESIDENCES. ~ Kist zawa Akimoto .

Mr. Gladstone declares he will never again,

An Important Discovery is announced in the 1.—We object to the Board proceeding with | Paris Figuro, "of a valuable remedy for nervous From the appearance of the second body I the consideration of the By-Laws until it has be- debility, physical exhaustion, and premature The staircase on the cookleft was totally con- lect Committee acted in framing them and the in Old Mexico; it saved him from a miserable sumed. I do not know the exact position in lieport of the Sanitary Engineer referred to by existence and an early grave. We learn that the Rev. Joseph Holmes, Bloomsbury Mansions

THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The City of Rio de Janeiro, with the American mail of the 30th June, arrived here yesterday evening. The following telegrams are from Sau Francisco papers :--

AFFAIRS IN GERMANY,

Berlin, 26th June. Prince Bismarck and many members of the Federal Council were present in the Reichstag on the opening of to-day's session. The President read an address in reply to the specol from the throne. It cordially approves Emperor's declarations, thanks him for unselfish devotion to the common weal, and ex presses confidence that under William Federal Government's peace will not be dis turbed. The address was adopted unanimously The President was instructed to present it t the Emperor. Von Boettiger, Minister for the Imperial Home Uffice and Representative Chancellor, rend the message closing the sessaion of the Reichstag. Three cheers were given for the Emperor.

BERGIN, 27th June. The Landtag met to day. In his speech opening the session King William said that his govornment, like that of the late King Frederick, would be exercised as a logacy from his grandfather. He would equally guard the rights of his people and the crown, and protect all religious. He was gratified with the good relations existing between the state and the Catholic Church. He was satisfied with the Prussian finances, and hoped that further relief of coinmunes and persons of small means from taxation would be possible. The King concluded his speech with a quotation from Frederick the Great:-

"The King is the first servent of the state." The opening of the Landing was accompanied by an imposing caremonial similar to that ob served when the Reichstag met. The white hall of the old castle was again the scene of ceremony The King entered the hall, followed by the royal princess. The Queen and princesses occupied a dais to the right of the throne. The members of the two houses of the Landtag were stationed opposite the throne, the members of the upper house on the right and those of the lower house on the left side. As soon as the King arrived the president of the upper house proposed cheers for him, and they were given with enthusiam. The King did not remove his helmet while reading his speech. The chief passages of the address were loudly applauded. When he had finished the King extended his hand to Prince Bismarck, who, howing low, kissed it. After bowing to the assembly the King left the

hall amid enthusiastic cheering. The Dowager Empress Victoria to-day receiv ed the President and Vice-President of the Reichstag, who presented her with an address of condolence on account of the death of Emperor Frederick. The Empress in her reply to the address thanked them for their sympathy. The President and Vice-President afterwards waited on the Emperor and presented him with the reply of the Reichstag to the speech from the throug. The Emperor thanked them for the ananimity with which the reply had been voted and asked them to convey his thanks to the Reichstag. His Majesty recalled the passage of the Army bill by the Reichstag on February 6th, and said its decision had a most cheering offect upon his grandfather and himself. The addresses of the upper and lower houses

of the Landtag in reply to the speech from the throne, after expressions of grief at the death of Emperor Frederick, consist for the most part of paraphrases of Emperor. William's speech. Gratitude is expressed for the promises made by the Emperor, and assurances are given of faithful and unflinebing support of the Crown. It is reported that the Berlin municipal authorities, some of whom hold very liberal views on religious matters. were received in a frigid manner by the Emperor, and that his Majesty concluded his remarks by saying. "Make it your business to see that more churches are built in Berlin."

BERLIN, 28th June. Emperor William has written a letter appoint ing the Grand Duke of Baden General Oborst with rank of Field Marshal, as a token of gratitude for his important services in restoring the empire and for his affectionate, paternal, and useful counsel

LONDON, 28th June. nation of that office and also the office he holds in cepted. The correspondent also states that ther changes will follow. HERLIN, 29th June.

The presidents of the two Houses of the Prassian Diet to-day presented to Emperor William the addresses of those bodies in reply to a speech from the throne. The Emperor in expressing his thanks made no reference to political questions.

In the rescript addressed to Prince Bismarck dated on Tuesday, the Emperor referred to the profound shock caused by the death of Emperor Frederick, following so soon after the death of Emperor William, and expressed thanks for the universal expressions of sympathy.

BERLIN, 21st June. A great sensution has been caused by the publication of the late Emperor's private papers. they discuss family and political affairs. THE "STAR" ON CRUELTIES TO NATIONALIST

MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT. LONDON, 23rd June The Star last evening printed a formulated schedule of the sufferings of the Nationalist members of Parliament imprisoned under the Coercion Act. The article is headed by a letter from Gladstone approving the plan of bringing

before the country a detailed account of Tory GREAT HEAT IN NEW YORK. NEW YORK, 25th June:

Up to 10 o'clock this morning the record of fatal prostration is unprecedented for any June day in the history, of the Coroner's office. At noon the death list reached twenty, all more or less directly caused by the forrid atmosphere. Many victims expired without the slightest premonition of their fate. Some in the prime of life, who yesterday were in the best of spirits and apparently the best of health, were corpses in their beds this morning. Children in the crowded, reeking tenement district are dying off like flowers that wilt in the sun god persons in many quarters, attemption to move about in ordinary pursuits, sit de only to gasp tooir last. Several persons at the breakfast-table. The prostrations very numorous. The thermometer at 2.30 was 91

deg. in the shade. New York, 20 June. The Bureau of Vital Statistics reports that up to noon to-day the death rate for the preceding twenty-four hours was 220, due almost entirely to the heat, directly or indirectly. This is an unprecedentedly large number of deaths.

COUNT MITKIEWICZ SUED. NEW YORK, 26th June. Count Mitkiewicz has been sued by his wife,

formerly Mollie Peyser, for \$300 for services as COVETHESS. SUEZ CONVENTION RATIFIED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 26th June. The Irade announces the ratification by Turkey of the Suez Canal Convention between Eng- intolerance. land and Turkey.

THE POPE ON LIBERALISM. ROME, 26th June. Pope's encyclical on liberalism is pubwed. It is a lengthy document. The Pope classifies the subject under two heads, and and modern, and condemns the latter as being in opposition to that practiced by Christ,

EFFECTS OF LIGHTNING. VIENNA, 26th June. During service in a church at Brezesic, Galicit, the building was struck by lightning and almost entirely destroyed. Three persons were

killed and 100 injured, ... DEATH OF SIDNRY HOWARD GAY. NEW YORK, 26th J Sidney Howard Gay is dead. He we united States." He was once editor of the Sir George Chetwynd. Wood managed the

anti-slavery Standard. He was aged seventy-COLONY OF ALSACE-LORBAINE FARMERS.

MCNTREAL, 26th June. Dominion Government for the purpose of purchasing 5.000 scres of prairie land in the Northwest to form a colony of Alsaco-Lorraino farmers.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL. NEW YORK, 26th June. Artist H. D. Murphy, of Boston, of the Nicara- Paris journal has interviewed Sir Morell Mad gua anal survey, have arrived from Rivas, via kenzie, who is now making a tour of Switzerland loan of £24,000,000, which was recently anthoris-Panama, with news to June 11th. Engineer for his health. The physician denies many of ed by the French Chamber of Deputies, has 105 for three wickets when the adjournment was Menocal arrived at San Juan, May 24th. The the statements concerning him which have re- been subscribed. location of the lower route is completed from cently been published in continental journals, Ochon to Graytown, except some local ex-con- Both during his connection with the case of the Panama but when these batemen were disposed of the Douglas Steamship Company, Limited \$58 per nections. The distances from the location of the late Kaiser and since he left Berlin he has been, Canal lottery loan (only half of which has been remaining wickets fell rapidly, and the innings upper route will be about as follows: Caual in he states, the subject of many fictitious interviews subscribed by the public) will be taken up by a closed for 228 runs, of which Lee contributed 83 Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$135 per excavation-Graytown to Deseado Basin, 12.95 and of many statements which have no founda-syndicate.

30.18 miles. Free navigation—Basin of Descade 9.40 miles: Basin of San Francisco, 9.04 miles: Basin of Machado, 1.45 miles; River San Juan, 64.54 miles; Lake Nicaragua, 56.50 miles: Basin of Rio Grande on Yola, 4.83 miles. Total-139.76 miles. The distance from ocean to ocean l will be 169.95 miles.

LONDON, 27th June. English aid is coming to the help of the Nicaragua canal. For some time past agents of rival schemes have been over here urging the co-operation of British shipowners. The shipowners have given careful consideration to al that has been urged by the various canal agents, and as a result of those deliberations, which have extended over a year, upwards of sixty of the lending shipowners and merchants of the United Kingdom held a meeting at Liverpool yesterday and pronounced their decision. R. R. Lockett, of W. & J. Lookett of Liverpool, was chairman and those present were unanimous in passing the following resolution, which was greated with enthusiasm, being moved and seconded by the Chilian Consul, Thomas Bain, and Henry Shield, the bead of the Liverpoo iron works:-" This meeting of merchants and shipowners of the port of Liverpool, having heard with satisfaction the explanation given by L. L. Blackman. President of the American Atlantic and Pacific Ship Canal Company relating to the plans of the company for the construction of the Nicamoua ship canal, and having regard to the opinions expressed by

James Abornathy, C. E., and Sir George Brice, C. E., of London, past and present Presidents of the institution of civil engineers, to the effect that after a careful examination and comparison of the various plans for the construction of an inter oceanic ship canal across the territory of Nicaragua, they are satisfied that the plans others, both as regards the working and mainof the looks proposed the canal will afford ample facilities for all traffic, however great, that may pass through it, as it will possess the Societies, returned hearty thanks. great advantage that vessels can navigate at or near full speed and pass each other without damage or delay, which is not practicable in the usual type of canal of restricted width. Resolved That a ship canal across the territory of Nicaragua constructed according to the plans which have been submitted to the meeting by Blackman, president of the American, Atlantic and Pacific Ship Canal Company, would be of the first importance to commerce, and especially to the commerce of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and to that of the United States of America." The meeting regret to learn that owing mainly to the existing dispute between the Government of Nicaragua and America concerning the concessions granted by the Government to the company, the carrying out of the project their differences and that the undertaking may

the United States in completing the work. A DANGEROUS GUN. LONDON. 28th June. has bought a new repesting gun which fires sixty rounds a minute.

be placed on such a basis that ample security will

to build a canal in connection with the previous-

vided, and England will prove a good second to

ly secured American capital has now been pro-

LONDON, 28th June. Dr. Fothergill, author of a number of medical

NEW YORK: 28th June.

DR. FOTHERGILL DEAD.

works, is dead. WATKIN'S NEW SCHEME FOR IRISH GOVERNMENT.

The Mail and Express' London cable special says: -Sir Edward Watkin, Member of Parliament for Hythe, who sits as a Unionist Liberal, intends to introduce in the House of Commons an Irish local government bill, which proposes to establish district councils throughout the country, to be elected upon the same suffrage from the French Institute praying that the laws as the present boards of guardians, whose duties it is proposed the new district councils might be cancelled. should take over to themselves. There would Gazette states that General Von Caprivi, chief be a central council at Dublin, which would be elected by the district councils and which pation of that councils and which the army. The resignation will doubtless be soit would be elected for five years. The hief all safely landed. Secretary of State for Ireland, the law officers of the Crown, and the heads of the various executive departments of the imperial Government would be ex-officio members of the central council. The administration of justice, and to a certain extent the control of the police and all fiscal matters of Ireland would still remain in the hands of the Imperial Parliament, in which the Irish members would retain their seats as at present. The Imperial Parliament would also have a right to veto the decision of the Dublin Council. This is the general idea of the sobemo. THE DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH'S RUMOURED

WEDDING NEW YORK, 29th June. The statement that the Duke of Marlborough Drummond Castle that the disabled and Mrs. Lillian W. Hamarsley are to be like a confirmation in the story vesterday of family friend of Mrs. Hamersley. This lady says the Duke was a frequent visitor at Mr Hamersley's Fifth-avenue residence, that he has lately given Mrs. Hamersley a number of presents, among them a handsomely inlaid tabl with growing orchids, and a very expensive and beautiful box, also containing growing orchids.

"Just when the marriage will occur," said the lady. "I do not happen to know, but I am sure it will be within a very short time." Discussing the event further, the lady said: "The Duke is very fond of money, and I have known for some time that he was making inquiries as to Mrs. Hamersley's fortune. On the other hand, every one knows that Mrs. Hamersley is not averse to marrying a title, and for that reason the engagement does not surprise one much. I am only sorry that Mrs. Hamersley is not better acquainted with the Duke's little

affairs in England than she is." A TOWN BLOCKADED. Lisbon, 29th June. The Portuguese Government has given notice of the blockade of Guissimbo, a town thirty miles north-west of the Portuguese settlement

of Ambrise, Africa. THE WHITE PASHA

LONDON, 29th June. If the white Pasha in the Bahr Elghazel district is Henry M. Stapley and he intends to release the white slaves at Khartoum, the Government will actively assist him: but if he intends to hold Khartoum and to send from that place a force to Emin Bey, it is not probable that and the minimum price of which is fixed at 94, the Government will support him.

CHANGES AT THE VATIOAN. London, 29th June. A dispatch to the Daily News from Rome savs: Important changes are about to be made at the Vatican. Mgr. Galiberti will probably be appointed Papal Secretary of State. It is expected that a more conciliatory policy

will shortly replace the present policy of MEETINGS IN TRAFALGAR SQUARE. LONDON, 29th June.

tion for summonses ugainst Matthews. Home Secretary, and Sir Charles Warren, Chief of Metropolitan Police, for preventing meet-Trafalgar square. The judges decided existed for the holding of public meetings which interfered with the free passage through the square by the people. A JOCKEY'S LIBEL BUIT.

LONDON, 29th June. The trial of the libels wit of Jockey Wood against the Gazette, which accused him of pulling horses. ended to-day, a verdict being returned awarding one farthing to the plaintiff. The amount sued the for was £5,000. The case is an outgrowth of Sherrard stables, where Sir George Chetwynd's horses were trained, and was attacked by Durham, when he attacked Sir George at Sherrard stables. As a consequence of the charges made Prince Bonaparte is negotiating with the against him the stewards of the Jookey Clab

refused Wood a new licence for a year. DR. MACHENZIE DENIES SEVERAL DEPORTS BECENTLY CIRCULATED.

NEW YORK, 29th June. A cable special from London to the Mail and Engineer II. C. Litchfield, of New York, and Express says :- The Lucerns correspondent of &

miles Western division, 12.14 miles. Total- absolutely incorrect that Dr. Mackensie ever denied that the disease from which Kaiser growth there was no evidence to be derived from lain, and Baron Henry De Worms. the expectoration which could lead him to believe that a cancer was present. He denies in toto the truth of the statement that he knew of the object was to thwart the nurpose of the trainers as before. bringing Frederick to the throne he deserves Searle conceding ten seconds to Hunter. the thanks of the German people instead of

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their reproaches.

The following telegrams are from Australi papers brought on by the C. N. Co.'s steame Ching-tu which arrived here on Saturday :-STANLEY AS A CENTRAL AFRICAN CONQUEBOR

LONDON, 22nd June. Persistent reports have been received at Spakin that a white man, who it is considered probable is Mr. H. M. Stanley, has arrived at the Bahr-el-Gazelle, a tributary of the White Niles after conquering the country traversed by him. The Bahr-el-Gazelle is a considerable distance to the northward of Waddelai, on Lake Albert Nyanza, where Emin Pasha was to have been met by Stanley and his relief expedition.]

MR. COWEN IN MELBOURNE. MELBOUENE, 22nd June. Mr. F. Cowen, musical director of the Melsubmitted by Blackman are preferable to any bourne Exhibition, arrived from England to-day by the Austral, and was welcomed by the Extenance of the caual, its cost of construction and hibition officials and the musical profession the time required for its completion, and owing who promised to assist in making the musical to the great width of the waterway and capacity portion of the Exhibition festivities all that banquoted and fêted by the Melbourne Musical tested in the Supreme Court.

CARDINAL MORAN ON THE IRISH QUESTION. LONDON, 22nd June: Cardinal Moran, who is now on a visit to Rome was granted an audience by his Holiness the Popoeto day. In the course of the interview. Cardinal Moran informed his Holiness that his experience in Australia had intensified his conviction of the necessity and justice of an autonomous Government being granted to Ireland. OPENING OF THE GERMAN BEICHSTAG. LONDON, 25th June.

The German Reichstag was opened to-day with great pomp by the Emperor William II Most of the Federal Inces were present. the speech from the Trone his Majesty an-nounced the policy he is inded to pursue. He promised that legislation hould be introduced has hitherto been delayed, and trusts that the to afford further protection to the working man Government and company may speedily settle in Germany. He would do il in his power to remove the marked social con ests which had an unhealthy effect on the people, but, nevertheless, be afforded for capital seeking to be invested in be was determined sternly to oppose all efforts connection with it. All the money necessary to undermine public order. Turning to the question of foreign policy, the Emperor declared that as far as lay in his power he would maintain peace abroad with all nations. He was very far from being desirous of using the army of Germany in offensive wars. As to the relations between Germany and other European Powers. The Daily News says the French Government he was resolved to uphold the alliances with Austria and Italy, regarding them as the found ations upon which the equilibrium of Europe depended. Nevertheless he would carefully cultivate the personal friendship of the Czar Russia, and would do all in his power to maintain friendly relations with that Power. The speech was received by the Reichstag with great

> enthusiasm. LONDON, 26th June. The speech of the Emperor William at the opening of the Garman Reichstag yesterday has produced a favourable impression in Vienna. THE DUKE OF AUMALE.

> LONDON, 25th June. The French Cabinet has rejected a petition expulsion of the Duc d'Aumale from France

The ship Tay, bound from Middlesborough to Melbourne with a cargo of railway, iron, has gone ashere at Yarmouth, and it is feared that she will become a total wreck. The crew were MORGAN'S GOLD MINE.

LONDON, 25th June. The capital of the company which has been formed to work Mr. William Pritchard Morgan's gold mine, at Gwynfynydd, in Wales (£200,000), has been over subscribed, A SHIPPING DISASTER.

London, 25th June. News has been received from South Africa that the steamship Drummond Castle, when off Capo Agulhas, to the south-eastward of the Cape of Good Hope, during a heavy gale sighted a large vessel, the name of which i unknown, in a disabled condition. It is the impression of those who were on board had immigrants on heard, battened down, married within a short time receives something wild shricks were heard from the vessel whe the captain of the steamer shouted that he had lost all his boats, and could therefore render no assistance. Early on the morning of the 4th June the vessel suddenly disappeared, and there is every reason to fear that she foundered.

LONDON, 27th June. It is belived at Lloyd's that the disabled vessel which was seen from the steamer Drummond Castle off Cape Agalhas, South Africa, and which afterwards foundered, was not an immigrant ship, as was supposed, but was either a homewardhound trader or a vessel with coolies on board.

DISASTROUS FLOODS IN MEXICO. LONDON, 27th June. News has been received from Mexico of disastrons floods in that country, resulting not only. in immense destruction of property, but great loss of life. 1,500 persons having been drowned. THE THRONE OF HANOVER.

LONDON, 27th June. It is reported that a reconciliation has been effected between the Emperor William II. and the Duke of Cumberland, and that the latter has renounced his claims to the throne of Hanover NEW QUEENSLAND LOAN.

LONDON, 26th June. Tenders have been invited by the Queensland Government for a loan of £2,500,000, bearing lians thus winning the match by 14 runs. nterest at 35 per cent, the minimum price being fixed at 94. Tenders will be opened on Tuesday next. took six wickets for 52 runs, and Worrall two LONDON, 27th June. The new Queensland loan of £2,500,000, at 31

per cent, which has been placed on the market. is now quoted at a premium of 14, or 954. INVESTMENT OF TRUST FUNDS IN COLONIAL SECURITIES. London, 27th June.

In consequence of the representation of the colonial Agents-General, who have been urging that trustees should be allowed to invest trustfunds in colonial inscribed stocks, Lord Herschell has expressed his willingness to propose an amendment in his Liability of Trustees Bill, with a view to permitting trustees to invest in colonial 4 per cent stocks when the price of such stocks The courts have refused to grant an applicatis not less then 105, and in 3 and 31 per cent stocks when the price is equivalent to 105 for a 4 per cent stock.

THE EDUCATION COMMISSION. LONDON, 28th June.

The Royal Commission on Elementary Education in England and Wales, which was appointed shortly after the present Geverament came into power, has brought up a report, in which it recommends the authoritative encouragement of the voluntary school system and the development of religious and moral education. The members of the Commission were, however, not unanimous, a minority having expressed their dissent from the recommendations embodied in

AN ALTERNATIVE CABLE SCHEME. LONDON, 28th June. Sir John Pender, chairman of the Eastern Extension Cable Company, has had an interview which Lord Knutsford, Secretary of State for the Colonies, with reference to the scheme of his company for laying a telegraphic cable to Western : Australia as an alternative to the proposed cable from Vancouver to Australia.

THE PANAMA CANAL LOAN. LONDON, 28th June. Only one-half of the Panama Canal lottery

miles; Divide, 3.50 miles; Heachado Volley, 1.50 tion in fact. The correspondent says that it is convensazione at the colonial institute. runs, Trott five for 74, and Blackham one for 9. Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$170 per LONDON, 29th June. Frederick was suffering was cancer: He merely the Royal Colonial Institute, and was attended had scored 84 with the loss of one wicket when stated that since neither of the microscopical ex- by about 3,000 persons. Amongst those present | the stumps were drawn for the day. aminations disclosed the existence of a cancerous were Lord Knutsford, Mr. Joseph Chamber-

THE EGULING CHAMPIONSHIP. ADELAIDE, 12th July. Dr. Mackenzie for bluntly avowing that his tide on that date. The men are under the same match being thus unfinished, was declared

A THUNDERBOLT.

MELBOURNE, 22nd June.

A report bus been received from Wilson's Promontory that about 9 o'clock on Tuesday evening a thunderbolt fell between the principal lightkeeper's quarters and the telegraph office. It was somewhat similar to one that fell on the 17th June, 1885, but this was at tended with more disastrous results. The whole of the telegraph and telephone wires were fused completely away, without leaving the slightest trace, for a distance of four poles from the office. The walls of the office were charred on two sides; the battery-room was knocked out for six square feet; the tank was smashed; a stone wall knocked down in three places, and several holes made in the ground. No one was injured. A north-west gale was blowing at the time, and the baremeter stood at 29 25der.

LONDON, 22nd June. The capital of the Australian Pastoral Company, which was recently registered by Messrs. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., has been subscribed. The capital of the company is £2,000,000. LOCAL OPTION IN AUSTRALIA.

AUSTRALIAN PASTORAL COMPANY.

MELBOURNE, 22nd June. Seventeen hotels at Geelong were named by the licensing bench to-day as those which should Present: Won by Australia by 74 rans. portion of the Exhibition festivities all that be closed in accordance with the recent local Australia v. Middlesex: V could be desired. Mr. Cowen, who is to be option vote, but the validity of the poll will be by eight wickets and one run. MELBOURNE, 25th June.

The proceedings of the Licensing Court, which is inquiring into the reduction in the Won by Australia by 14 runs. number of hotels at Fort Melbourne and Williamstown as decided at the recent local ontion polls, have been temperarily suspended with the polls owing to alleged irregularities.

MELEOURNE, 26th June. A writ of prohibition was formally served on cashire. the Licensing Court this morning, restraining them from any further action with regard to the are therefore rendered abortive.

ADELAIDE, 3rd July. larst under the local option vote.

ADELAIDE, 10th July. in compliance with the local option vote.

ADELAIDE, Srd July. Elaborate defence preparations have been made | the Australians: or the reception of a hostile force, on the supposision that the cables have been cut by a beligerent power inimical to England. It is supposed that they hope by cutting off communication to beable to intercept vessels carrying shipments of gold. A CALL TO ARMS.

ADELAIDE, 5th July. An unexpected call to arms was made last night, and within an hour and a-haif, six hundred men were under arment the place of rendezyour in response to the call. ADELAIDE, 10th July.

A SILVER MINT. ADELAIDE, 12th July. The Government does not intend to move in

the matter of the establishment of a silver mint in the colony. MAIL-SERVICE TO THE NEW HEBRIDES. Adelaide, 5th July. A monthly mail service between Sydney and the New Hebrides has been established at a cost

of £1,200 per manum. THE TRADE OF VICTORIA. MELEOURNE, 26th June. The imports into the colony during last were valued at £19,022,151, inclusive of the border tride, which was worth £3.445,067. import duties collected amounted to £2,264,773 Wool to the value of £2,778,927 was imported. The experts for the year were valued at £11,351,145, of which £8,502,979 was represented by the products and manufactures of the colony.

THE AUSTRALIAN CRICKETERS IN ENGLAND LONDON, 22nd June The match between the Australian Eleven and the Marylebone Club and ground was continued at Lords to-day. The Australians went in for their second innings, but with the exception of Trott and Bonnor, who scored 45 and 24 respectively, the batamen made a very poor stand M'Donnell, Blackham, and Turner were disposed of for mil and the innings closed for 96 runs.

|   | he following are the scores: |
|---|------------------------------|
|   | Bannerman 2                  |
| 1 | M'Donnell 0                  |
|   | Blackham0                    |
| 1 | Turner0                      |
| * | Trott 45                     |
|   | Bonnor / 24                  |
|   | Jarvis 4                     |
|   | Worrall                      |
|   | Edwards 4                    |
|   | Edwards 4 Ferris, not out    |
|   | Boyle 5                      |
|   |                              |

The Englishmen, requiring 125 to get to win. then went in for their second innings, and when the stumps were drawn for the day had secored 101 with seven wickets down.

LONDON, 23rd June. The match was resumed and concluded to-day. the result being a rather narrow victory for the Australians The Englishmen continued their second innings, but the remaining batemen only succeeded in adding 9 runs to yesterday's total, and the last-wicket fell for 110 runs, the Austra-In the second innings of Marylebone, Turner

wickets for 9. LONDON, 25th June. The Australian Eleven commenced a match against Yorkshire at Bradford to-day. The Australians won the toss and went to the wickets. M'Donnell and Trott were disposed of for 20 and 12 runs respectively, but Bannerman and Bennor soon collared the English bowling, and the score mounted rapidly, 149 runs having been compelled with a loss of two wickets when the adjournment was made for lunch. When play was resumed the score was steadily increased and the last wicket fell late in the afternoon for 367 runs. Bonnor gave a brilliant display of batting, and his score of 115, which included twenty-five 4's, was the great feature of the in nings. He was at the wickets an hour and a-half and only gave one chance when he had scored 110 runs. Bannerman also played an excellent innings for 65, while Turner, Edwards, and

Ferris contributed materially to the total. The following are the scores :---M Donnell ..... Bannerman Trott ..... Bonnor ...... 115 Jarvis ..... Turner Edwards ..... Lyons Blackham Worrall Ferris (not out) Sundries

The Yorkshire team then went to the wickets: and at the close of the day's play had scored 8 with no wickets down. London, 26th June.

The match between the Australian Eleven to-day. The Englishmen, who commenced their first innings late vesterday, and had scored 8 runs with no wicket down, resumed their innings. and made an excellent stand, the score reaching made for lunch. On play being resumed, the score was steadily increased by Lee and Hall, and Hall 67. Turner took three wickets for 66.

Yorkshire, being 139 runs behind their opno-A grand conversazione was held last night at nents, followed on and in their second innings China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$190

and Yorkshire was resumed to-day at Bradford. The county eleven scored heavily in their Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited Articles have been signed for a match between second innings. At lunch time they had raised existence of a cancer in February last and that Kemp and Hanlan for the championship and the score to 169 for two wickets, and continued he willfully suppressed the fact. Meanwhile £500 a side, to be rowed on the 28th September. to make runs fast up to the call of time, when draw. In the second innings of Yerkshire the Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per Bismarck party to establish a regency, at the Searle is to row Hughes, of Newcastle, on the chief scoring was done by Wainwright, who

> the close of play. The following are the scores :--AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN

YORKSHIRE. First Innings ..... 228 Second Innings (with seven wickets down) 344 The following are the results of the matches already played by the Australian Eleven :-Australia, with six wickets to spore. Australia v. Warwickshire: Won by Austra-

lia, by an innings and 150 runs. Australia v. Surrey: Won by Australia by | So an inuings and 154 runs. Australia v. Oxford University: Wen by Australia, by an innings and 19 runs. Australia v. Yorkshire: Won by Australia ov an innings and 64 runs, Australia v. Lancashire: Won by Lancashire.

v 22 runs. Australia v. the Gentlemen of England Drawn, Australia v. The Players: Won by the Playera by 10 wickets, Australia v. Nottinghamshire: Won by Nottinghamshire by 10 wickets.

Australia v. Cambridge University: Drawn. Australia v. Oxford University Past and Australia v. England: Won by Australia by 10 wickets and 2 runs. Australia v. Marylebone Club and Ground

Australia v. Yorkshire : Drawn. LONDON, 27th June. The Australian Eleven will commence their by order of the Supreme Court, which has next match at Manchester on Friday against been asked to quash the proceedings in connection the North of England. The home team is considerd to be a fairly strong eleven; and is composed entirely of players from Notts and Lan-

LONDON, 28th June. The Australian Eleven commenced a match | Hongkong ... local option polls in favour of reducing the against the North of England at Manchester tonumber of public-houses at Williamstown and day. The weather was showery and the wicket Port Melbourne. The court cannot decide what consequently in favour of the bowlers. The hotels are to be closed within the month of June | Englishmen batted first, but did not make a proas required by the Act, and the proceedings longed stand, being all disposed of for 93 runs, of which Sugg contributed 27 and Barlow 23, these being the highest scores of the innings. Ferris Twenty-seven hotels have been closed in Bal- took five wickets for 38 rans, Turner four

wickets for 35, and Boyle one for 12. The Australians then went to the wickets. The Supreme Court of Victoria has declined | Trott and Jarvis were dismissed after compiling to quash the action of the Licensing Bench 18 and 12 respectively, and three other batsmen which closed a number of hotels in Geelong North, were quickly disposed of, the score standing at in compliance with the local option vote.

55, with five wickets down, when the stumps THE BREAK IN THE CABLE AND A WARLIKE | Were drawn for the day, Bannerman and Turner being not out, with 9 and 3 runs to their credit respectively. The following are the scores of

M'Donnell Bannerman, not out Trott ...... 18 Jarvis ...... 12 Blackham Sundries...... 3

Total, for five wickets ...... 55 A CHANGE IN THE PROGRAMME. The Australian will commence a match on the 12th July against an Eleven of England at Stoke-The call to arms that was made last week has | upon-Trent, instead of against the Gentlemen of revealed the utter inefficiency of the defence force. Scotland at Edinburgh, as previously arranged.

SUNSET: A SONNET. The sun sinks slowly in a mist-fed pyre That flames and glows with tongues of fisshing gold The orient sky fast fills with heavy, bold, Empurpled blouds, their edges fringed with fire; The league-flung sunset splendoors, rising higher At once from east and west, at length enfold Both wave and sky; and then, we have unrolled scope whose beauties one by one expire.

The fisher gathers up his home-meshed nats, And westward, o'er the ashen main, he sets 'Migcourse brown sails, 'l'here,' nown the hill-side w The goat herd with his straggling flock, now wends His tardy steps: all through the burning days: He clomb the hills, but now, he homeward bends,

BUNRISE: A SONNET. The crescent moon has set: swart girsy Night, With all her retinue of stars, has fled : ... The wide winged kindling west is barred with red Freah from her coean couch, engirt with light, air Morning comes, in flowing raiment bright; Each pouting wavelet lifts its shining head To greet her, as with easy, graceful tread, She passes o'er the threshold into sight.

The osprey quits his craggy perch, and sails In eager quest of food, o'er dawn-lit seas. he throughn fleet of fishing junks, with sails Let loose, run free before the humming breeze Phroughout the night they plied their weavy toil They now return, full-laden with their spoil.

Hongkong, July, 1988. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. SATURDAY, 28th July.

EXPORT CARGO. Per steamship Albany, sailed on the 26th July :- For Kobe-4,100 bags sugar, and 98 packages sundries. For Vancouver-S1 packages merchandise. For Victoria-1,000 bags rice, 25 cases opium, 60 packages tea, and 230 packages merchandise. For San Francisco-4,795 bags rice, 20 boxes prepared opium, 185 prokages tea, and 1,895 packages merchandise. For Portland-875 bags rice, and 233 packages merchandise. For Seattle 500 bags rice, and 72 packagos merchandiss.

EXCHANGE.

On LONDON.-Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ......30 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ...... 3,01 Credits, at 4 months' sight ......3/01 Dooumentary Bills, at 4 months' sight......3/0 N PARIS. Credits, at 4 months' sight ..........3.85 ON NEW YORK. Bank Bills, on demand.......73 Credits, 60 days' sight .....741 ON BOMBAY.-Telegraphic Transfer ......2233 Bank, on demand ......224 ON CALCUTTA-Bank on demand ......224 ON SHANGHAL -

Bank, at sight ......72 Private, 30 days sight ......725 SHARES. Quotations are :--Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-156 and Noon. a per cent, premium, sales. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$86 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares-\$73 per share.

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 148 in diameter, double rivetted, with 4 Galway's Canton Insurance Office, Limited 177 per LAUNCH ENGINE and BOILER. 2 Vertical Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares- 16-H.P. ENGINE. 1 Steam PUMP. 2 Hori-\$3474 per abare. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$78 Large Planing Machine. 1 Emery Tool per chare. Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited- LATHE, 8 inch Centre, 8 feet bed. 2 DRILLING \$25 nom.

and a Yorkshire team was resumed at Bradford Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Publists, and 2 Small Fire Engines. 2 Shares 31 per cent. prem. Hongkong, Canton, and Macso Steamboat Co.'s WATER TANK. Shares-\$118 per cent. prem. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares as new 124 per cent. discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited with BALLS, CUES and MARKING BOARD. -S115 per abare.

per share, noin. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$60

-In liquidation.

The match between the Australian Eleven Hongkong Ico Company's Shares-\$80 per the 21st, and is due here on the 30th instant. —885 per abare. Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company

Company, Limited-\$11 per share, nom. same time urges, that if he really assisted in Hunter River, for £100 a side in three months; made 105; and Hirst; who was 87 and not out at | Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li-

mited-\$83 per share. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-97 per cent. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited—\$168 per share, buyers.

Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-\$21 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-5 per cent premium, nom. Australia v. Thornton's Eleven: Won by Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-9 per cent pramium, nom. Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-11 per cent

ciété Française des Charbonnages du Tonkir -35 per cent. prem., sales. Hongkong High Level Tramways Company, Limited-210 per cent. prem., nom.

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(FROM MESSES. PALCONER & Co.'s REGISTER.) July 25th. Barometer-9 A.M. ......20.65 Berometer - 2 36 autrera (aremanerate areas processes areas Ti crmometer—1 r.w.....88 Thermometer-1 P.X. Thermometer-I F.M. (Wet balb) Thermometer-4 F.M. (Wet bulb) 

OHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL kKGISTER.

27th July, 1888, at 4 P.M.

28th July, 1858, at 10 A.M. 29,61 iphong ... Belings ..... 75 AN

The typhoon is moving northwards. Clear, but, and close weather provails. W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 28th July, 1888, -M  $ETLOROLOGICAL-oldsymbol{EEGIST}$  $oldsymbol{EGIST}$  $oldsymbol{EGIST}$ Previous | On date | On date at 4 p.m. at 10 a.m. | at d p.m.

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7.—Rith in inches, tenths and hundreths.

W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 29th July, 1888. IMPAIRED VISION.

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THE FRENCH MAIL. The M. M. steamer Oxis, with the French mail of the 30th June, left Saigon at 5 p.m. on the 29th July, and may be expected to arrive the German Liberal press, while blaming It is calculated that there will be a strong ebb they had seven wickets down for 314. The Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining here on or about Wednesday, the 1st August. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 19th May.

> THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. steamer Gaelic, with the American mail of the 11th July, left Yokohama on the 29th July, and may be expected here on or about the 4th August.

> THE CANADIAN MAILS. The C. P. steamer Batavia, with the Canadian mail, left Kobe on the 24th, and is due here on the 30th instant The C. P. steamer Zambeei, with the Canadian

mail leaves Yokohama on the 31st July, and is due horo on the 6th August. The Canadian Pacific steamer Port Adelaide, with the Canadian mail, left Vancouver on the 20th July.

BTEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Telemachus left Singapore on the 24th, and is due here on the 30th instant.

The D. D. R. steamer Hesperia left Singapore on the 26th July and is due here on the 1st The P. & O. steamor Venetia left Singapore

on the 26th July, and may be expected here on or about the 1st August. The N. G. I. steamer Stura left Singapore on the 27th July, and may be expected here on or

about the 2nd August. The Union Line steamer Guy Mannering left Singapore on the 27th July, and is due here on the Srd August.

The Union Line steamer Dorset left Singspore on the 28th July, and is due here on the 4th

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The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Saigon.-Per Chow-chow-fpc, to-day, the 30th inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Foschow.—Per Propontis, to-day, the 30th inst., at 5:00 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.-Per Bokhara; to-day, the 30th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Straits and Bembay.—Per Thibei, tomorrow, the 31st instrat\_at\_11.30 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.--Per Namoa, to-morrow, the 31st inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Devaloungee, on Wednesday, the 1st August, at 11.30 A.M.

the 6th August, at 9.00 A.M. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET. The German Contract Packet Preussen will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the lat August, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 4 P.M.

For Singapore.-Per Daphne, on Monday,

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| * * *       | A. O'D. GOURDIN, Manager. Hongkong, 7th July, 1888.   | Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [562] NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.   | SOURABAYA, &c Borneo (a) YOKOHAMA. VIA NAGASARI, KOBR Bokhara ( KOBE AND YOKOHAMA Delcomyn  | (str.) Hongkong P. Hongkong Gi   | & O. S. N. Co Co On or about 3rd Aug<br>& O. S. N. Co To-morrow Daylight<br>bb, Livingston & Co Quick despatch.  | Fooksang<br>Glauous                       | July 24 E                             | ionpah                                    | Brit, str 991<br>Brit, str 1387                         | Jardine, Matheson & C<br>Butterfield & Sw re<br>Douglas Lapraik & Co   | Shangha                           |
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|             | A SIX ROOMED HOUSE  | Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, 9th May, 1881.   | Dowling, Commander, will be despatched for<br>the above Ports about the 30th instant.   | AISO,  | Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Port  | Cuthons                                   | July 17<br>June 19                    | Krippuer<br>Jas. Gifford<br>Waterhouse    | Ger. sh 1083<br>Brit.seh 201<br>Amr. bk 616             | Carlowitz & Co Jurdino, Matheson & Gous Iven & Co  | Co Victoria. I<br>Honoluli        |
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|             | The Terrace has for some months past been   | Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against  | FOR NAGASAKT, KOBE, AND<br>YOKOHAMA.  | PORTS: THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL A SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGER  | Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.   | John Nicholso                             | July 6                                | Christensen<br>W. Quine<br>L. A. Jensen   | Ger, bk 786<br>Brit, bk 685                             | Melohers & Co Melohers & Co Gilman & Co  | S. Franci<br>Honoluli<br>Cape and |
|             | The Houses are comfortable and cool in summer.  | Hongkong, lat April, 1885. [68]   | • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •   | SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGER<br>AND LUGGAGE.<br>N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH  | To Vancouver   | Sachem<br>Senta<br>Senta                  | June 29<br>Jan. 26                    | Barlett<br>Tiemann                        | Amr. sh 1314<br>Ger. bk 1037                            |  | New You<br>London                 |
|             | Hongkong Dispensary.  | IN HAMBURG.   | Captain Duncan, will be despatched for the above Ports about the 30th inst.  For Freight or Passage, apply to   | PLACES IN RUSSIA.  | To Liverpool   | Spinsway<br>Sta. Filomens<br>Totusa       | Jan. 12<br>Mar. 31                    | Garrick<br>Mendiguren<br>Roper<br>Nickele | Span.soh 448<br>Ger. bk 438                             | Chinese<br>Chinese   | Singapor                          |
|             | Hongkong, 3rd July, 1888. [235] TO BE LET, WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.   | Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT RISKS at Current Rates.   | ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  | ON THURSDAY, the 2nd day of August<br>1888, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamshi<br>"PREUSSEN," Captain C. Pohle, wit<br>MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, an   | To London 305.00.  To other European Points at proportionat rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officer  |   | July 11<br>June 17                    | Nichols<br>G. Hock                        | Aur. sh   1650  <br>  Siam. bk   789                    | Pustau & Co<br>Chiuese   | New Yo                            |
|             | 2 DESIRABLE HOUSES in Caine Road,<br>West End Terrace, opposite to Rose Villas.   | Hongkong, 18th January, 1884.   | FOR FOOCHOW DIRECT.   | CARGO will leave this Port as above, CALLIN-   | of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application.  | 9   | ,                                     | SHIPFI                                    | NG IN CHINA   | WATERS.  |                                   |
| • •         | Apply to SPANISH PROCURATION, No. 14, Caine Road.   | NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY  | <u> </u>  | Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon<br>Cargo and Specie will be received on Boar<br>until 4 P.M., and Parcels until 10 A.M., on the  | Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des   | YESSELS.                                  | DATE OF<br>ARRIVAL                    | CAPTAIN.                                  | FLAG<br>AND RIG. TONE                                   | consigners.  | DESTIN                            |
| •           | Hongkong, 10th May, 1888.   912 TO BE LET.  | breharen to wooder with a skutter trutt   |   | 1st August, 1888. (Parcels are not to be sent of Board; they must be left at the Agency Office). Contents and Value of Packages at   | D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Van<br>couver, B.C.<br>Freight will be received on Board until 4 P.B.   | 20 00 000                                 |                                       |   |   | MACAO.   |                                   |
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|             | Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Hongkong, 1st June, 1888. [1048]   | TRANSATLANTIČFIREINSURANCE<br>COMPANY OF HAMBURG.   | STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA-<br>SAKI AND KOBE,   | For Further Particulars, apply to<br>MELCHERS & Co.,<br>Agents.  | same will be received by us until 5 P.M. the day previous to sailing.  For information as to Passage or Freight  | e   |                                       | TITO RISDY                                | Little 1 100Z   | C. W. BLUSHIOORI   | Cumion                            |
| 1.          | INTIMATIONS.  | The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current     | (Passing through the Inland Sea).  THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship  | Hongkong, 7th July, 1888.  COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES   | apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,  | Choy Sang                                 |                                       | Belbourn                                  | Brit. atr , 1195  | HAMPOA.  Jardine, Matheson &   | Ca .                              |
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| i           | of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photose of NATIVE TYPES, copies of which are obtainable in his Studie or at Messre. Kelly & Walsh's. | Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. [15]   | E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 18th July, 1883.  | NOTICE. STEAM FOR  | THE Am. Sh. 3/3 A I. I.  | Kwang-lee<br>Kwongsang<br>E. J. Spence    | July 25<br>July 26<br>June 14         | Lowe<br>Seller<br>J. H. Gill              | Brit. str   985<br>Brit. bk   519                       | C. M. S. N. Co<br>Jardine, Matheson &<br>Russell & Co  | Co S. France                      |
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| (           | Opal.  Instantaneous Views, Groups and Por-   | FIRE at Current Rates.  DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,  Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office.   | "THIBET," will leave for the above places TO-MORROW,  | PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND<br>BLACK SEA PORTS,<br>ALEXANDRIA, -MARSEILLES, AND   | For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co.   | 5 Ch'ron Kamr                             | ye _                                  | Krag                                      | Siam. bk   419  |  |                                   |
| 9           | TRAITS are taken in any state of the weather, and all Permanent Processes, are executed on Moderate Terms.                        | Hongkong 17th Amenet 1927   | the 31st July, at Noon.  E. L. WOODIN;  Superintendent.   | PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA;  | FOR NEW YORK.  THE 3/3 L. L. L. American Ship  | Colembo<br>Diamond Cit                    | July 16                               | Griff<br>F. Sass<br>Jorganson             | Ohi. bk 636<br>Biom. bk 261<br>Siam. bk 359             | Order<br>Yuen Fat Hong   |                                   |
| . j         | THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARE AND GODOWN COMPANY   | The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com-  | Hongkong, 26th July, 1888, [1398] INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.   | DUNKIRE, AND ANTWERP.  | "C. C. CHAPMAN,"  Hiobborn, Master, shortly expected here, will lead here for the above Fort, and will have  | Nordoo<br>Rapid                           | Oct. 31                               | J. Campbeli<br>Steinbring                 | 4   | Chinese  |                                   |
|             | CIMITED.  OTICE is hereby given that all VESSELS  | pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.  NORTON & Co.,  | FOR CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN, (VIA   | Noon, the Company's Steamshi<br>"ANADYR," Commandant Delacroir, wit<br>MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, an   | p quick despatch.  |   |                                       |   | B   | WATOW.   |                                   |
|             | DISCHARGING BOMBAY COTTON and COTTON TABLE at the Kowloon Wharves will have FREE STORAGE for 14 days from arrival.                | Hongkong 16th July, 1887. Agents.   | THE Company's Steamship "KWONGSANG."  | CARGO, will leave this Port for the above  | Hougkong; 1st June, 1888. [104   | Hoihew                                    |                                       | Gyles                                     | Brit. str   895   | n 1874 July, 1868.<br>Steamers.<br>Butterfield.& Swire   |                                   |
| a           | after which a Rent of 3 cents per Bale per<br>month will be Charged.<br>ISAAC HUGHES.   | INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS  | Captain Sellar, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 31st inst.  For Freight or Passage, apply to   | Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the princips  | THE 3/3 L II British Ship  | Lessang<br>Mengkut                        |                                       | Bawer .                                   | Brit. str   1092<br>Brit. str   960<br>Brit. str   1109 | Jardine, Matheson &<br>Yuen Fa Hang<br>Butterfield & Swire   | *                                 |
|             | Hongkong, 8th Nerember, 1887.   | A.D. 1720.  PIHE Undersigned having been appointed  | JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  | places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M.   | Captain W. B. Butler, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have   | Yiksang                                   |                                       | Monour                                    | Brit. str   886   | Jardine, Matheson &  | Co                                |
|             | THE EONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.   | Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:— MARINE DEPARTMENT.                            | OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  FOR SHANGHAI.   | Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the Is<br>August, 1888. (Parcels are not to be sen<br>on board; they must be left at the Agency  | For Freight, apply to  SIEMSSEN & Co.  1122  |   |                                       |   |   | AMOY.  |                                   |
| 4           | THE Company is prepared to TRANSHIP   | Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China, and Australia.          | Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Ninopo, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin,   | Office.) Contents and value of Packages ar required.  For further particulars, apply at the Com-   | FOR HAVRE AND LONDON   | Fidelia                                   | June 15                               | H. Brook                                  | Ger. str   852  | N 23RD JULY, 1888. TEAMERS.   Pasedag & Co   |                                   |
| 2           | or West Point to any Steamer in the Harbour, and to BRING CARGO across from Kowloon   | Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.   | HANKOW, and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) THE Company's Steemship   | G. DE CHAMPEAUX,   | "COMET,"  Krippner, Master, will load here for the above   | Anglo-Indian                              | July &                                | Wittmus<br>Hansen                         | Brit. bk   444<br>Brit. bk   449                        | H. A. Petersen & Co<br>Pasedag & Co  |                                   |
|             | By Order,   | LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates.   | "TELEMACHUS," Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 1st August.  |  | Ports, and will have quick despatch.  For Freight, apply to  CARLOWITZ & Co.   | Carn<br>Oscar Mooyer                      | July 19                               | Anderson<br>Boysen                        | Ger. bk   360   | H. A. Petersen & Co  |                                   |
| . =         | Hongkong, 21st April, 1888. [784]  VINGTAL & Co   | HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.<br>Hongkong, 26th July, 1872.  | Hongkong, 24th July, 1888.   1387   | PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY<br>THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER  | Hongkong, 26th July, 1888. 139 FOR HAVRE AND LONDON.   | 9   |                                       |   | 20 2 2 2  | Darross  |                                   |
|             | SHIP'S COMPRADORES, STEVEDORES,   | CHARTE M. A.  | CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,<br>LIMITED  | YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO.  | T.HCTA   |   | 1                                     |   | IN PORT O   | OCHOW.<br>N 21sr July, 1888.<br>STEAMERS.  |                                   |
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|             | No. 25, Praya Central.<br>今發炭煤司公泰學 [296   |   | "CHANGSHA," Williams, Commander, will be despatched as  | States and Europe.   | 11008 80081 2010 0 1111  | Namoa                                     | July 21                               |   |   | Jardine, Matheson & (  | <b>Do</b>                         |
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